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CHAPTER 20

## **SENATE BILL 1020**

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 13-708, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO SENTENCING.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 13-708, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4 13-708. Consecutive terms of imprisonment

5 A. Except as otherwise provided by statute LAW, if multiple sentences  
6 of imprisonment are imposed on a person at the same time, ~~or when a person~~  
7 ~~who is subject to any undischarged term of imprisonment imposed at a previous~~  
8 ~~time is sentenced to an additional term of imprisonment,~~ the sentence or  
9 sentences imposed by the court shall run consecutively unless the court  
10 expressly directs otherwise, in which case the court shall set forth on the  
11 record the reason for its sentence.

12 B. NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTION A, IF A PERSON IS SUBJECT TO AN  
13 UNDISCHARGED TERM OF IMPRISONMENT AND IS SENTENCED TO AN ADDITIONAL TERM OF  
14 IMPRISONMENT FOR A FELONY OFFENSE THAT IS COMMITTED WHILE THE PERSON IS UNDER  
15 THE JURISDICTION OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, THE SENTENCE IMPOSED  
16 BY THE COURT SHALL RUN CONSECUTIVELY TO THE UNDISCHARGED TERM OF  
17 IMPRISONMENT.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 10, 2007.

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